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Group Art Unit: 1634

Title: METHODS OF MAKING AND USING SUBSTRATE SURFACES HAVING COVALENTLY BOUND POLYELECTROLYTE FILMS

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Sir:

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Respectfully submitted,

Namyong Kim

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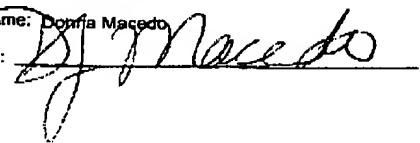
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<b>RESPONSE to NOTICE OF ALLOWANCE</b>  Address to: Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria VA 22313-1450	Attorney Docket	10010729-1
	Confirmation No.	4579
	First Named Inventor	Namyong Kim
	Application Number	09/900,760
	Filing Date	July 2, 2001
	Group Art Unit	1634
	Examiner Name	Bradley Sisson
	Title	Methods of Making and Using Substrate Surfaces Having Covalently Bound Polyelectrolyte Films

Dear Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Notice of Allowance dated September 16, 2005.

In the Supplemental Notice of Allowability accompanying the Notice of Allowance, the indicated allowed claims in Box 2 were claims 41-71.

However, Claims 17-26 have also been allowed and should be included in Box 2 as allowed. See the first Notice of Allowability dated February 2, 2005.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to confirm that Claims 17-26 are also allowed and will issue along with Claims 41-71.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees associated with this communication, including any necessary fees for extensions of time, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1078.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Date: October 31, 2005

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